



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 9531**  
Hiroyuki KAMIYA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2006\_1315A  
Serial No. 10/588,792 : Group Art Unit 1637  
Filed October 26, 2006 : Examiner Suchira Pande  
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated February 11, 2008, the date for response having been extended to June 11, 2008 by the Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

*The Commissioner is authorized to charge any  
deficiency or to credit any overpayment associated  
with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0975*